

The Kingsway School Foxland Key Messages





Welcome Address



Welcome to our final week of this first half term. Staff continue to share highlights of your achievements on the Foxland campus and talk with pride about your learning. This week our Heads of Department will be speaking with members of Year 11 about your work and hearing directly from you about your learning across your subjects. It's an opportunity for you to share your voice as well as showcase where you feel you've made a really great start to the year - we know there will be lots to choose from. Over the last two weeks we've also been speaking with student groups about the campus and how we can continue to work together to make our school a really special place. It is important that everyone feels that they have the opportunity to share their opinions and we'll be asking for more students to be involved as the year progresses.

Year 11 designs make up a large number of our finalists for the house shields, well done. Good luck to everyone for the final vote. In our first week back we'll see our first house competitions and our form captains will play an important part in that. We have some great ways to leave a legacy for your last years in school - let's make the most of them. Have a good week

Mrs Fowler

Something to think about this week...



A REMINDER THAT BONFIRE NIGHT IS APPROACHING AND WE SHOULD REMEMBER THE FOLLOWING ADVICE.

Keep your distance: Always stand well back and never go near a lit firework, even if it hasn't gone off.

Follow adult supervision: Fireworks should only be lit by a responsible adult (someone over 18).

Protect yourself: Wear gloves when handling sparklers and never wave them near others.

Respect the rules: Only use fireworks in safe, open areas and never bring them to school or public places.

Be mindful of others: Keep pets indoors and show respect for neighbours and the community.



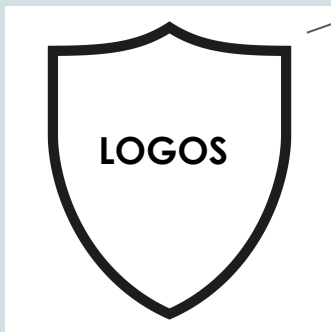
House Standings

This week, points were awarded for:

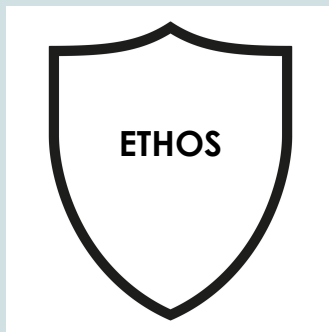
- House with the best attendance
- House with the most Sparx Reader points
- House with the most stars of the lesson

LOGOS HAVE
RE-TAKEN THE LEAD
AND GO INTO HALF
TERM AS OUR HOUSE
LEADERS!

Our Overall House Standings are...



1st: 215 Points



2nd: 205 Points



3rd: 185 Points



House Shield Competition



The staff judging panel has now selected the finalist for our house shields.

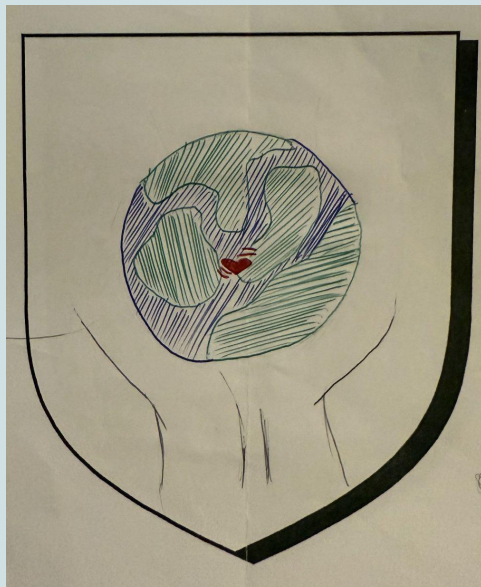
The FINAL VOTE is now down to you!

The finalists have been sorted into FOUR groups:

- Group 1: Hand Designs
- Group 2: Graphic Writing Designs
- Group 3: Animal Designs
- Group 4: Quadrant Designs



House Shield Competition



Pathos: Ruby (11CRO)



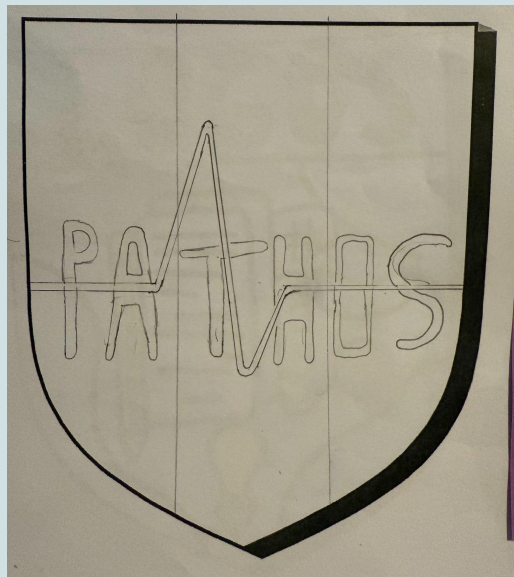
Ethos: Abbie C (7SAN)



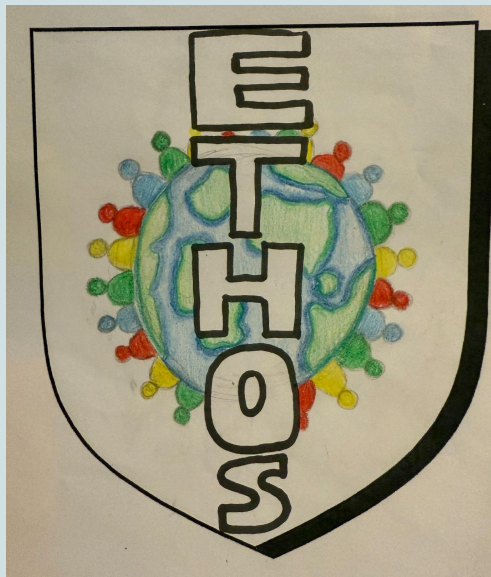
Logos: Ava W (7STO)

Group 1: Hands designs

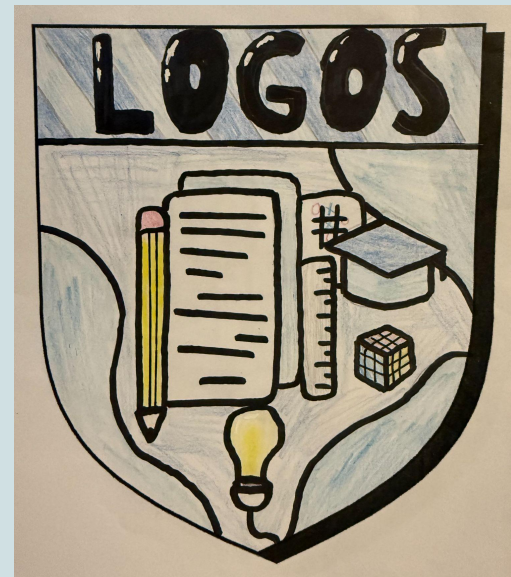
House Shield Competition



Pathos: Ewan (11LGR)



Ethos: Lilyana (11ENE)



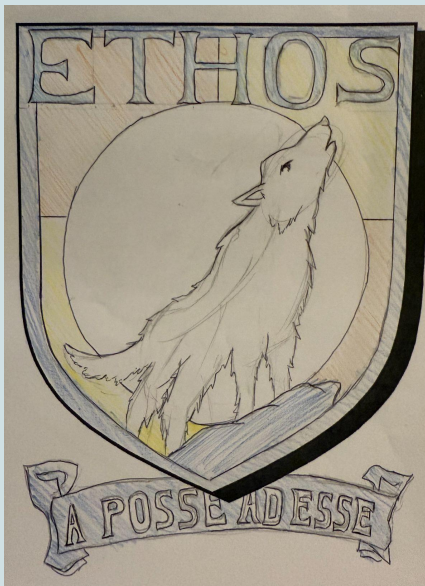
Logos: Alex R (7STO)

Group 2: Graphic Writing Designs

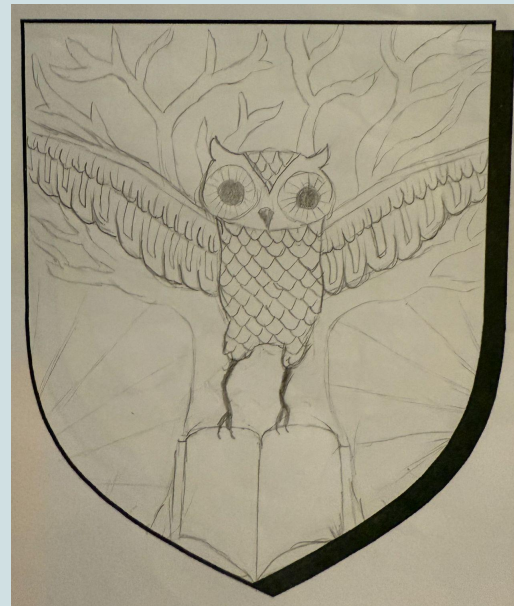
House Shield Competition



Pathos: Alara (11NMC)



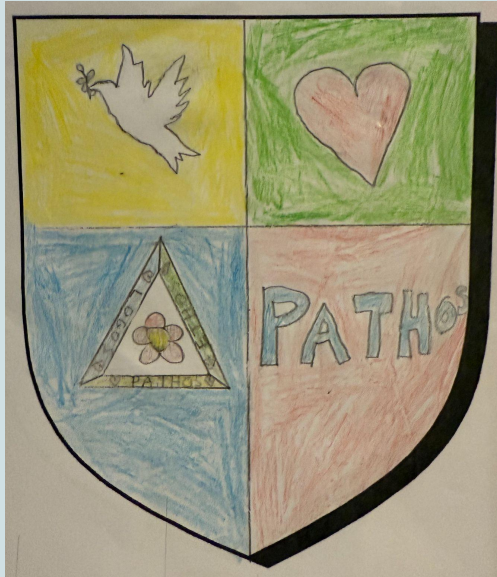
Ethos: Jack C (11KBU)



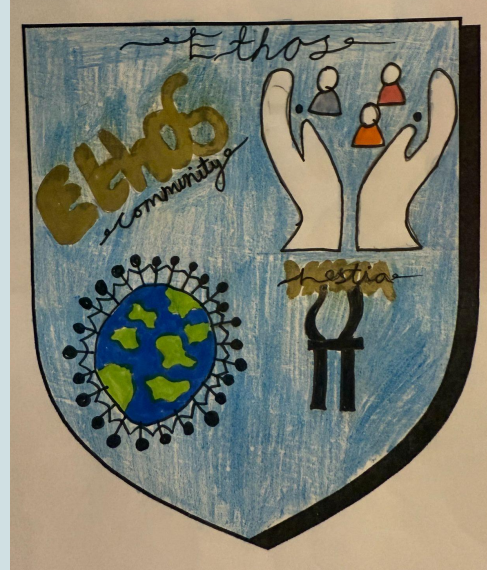
Logos: Evie (9JDI)

Group 3: Animal Designs

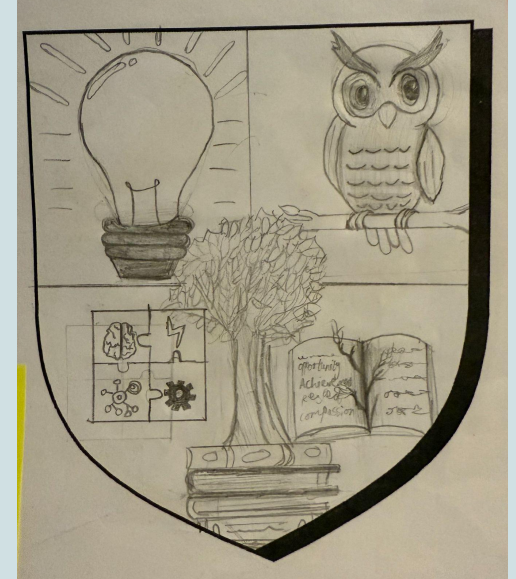
House Shield Competition



Pathos: William (7HHO)



Ethos: Izza M (7SAN)



Logos: Araya (9JDI)

Group 4: Quadrant Designs



House Shield Competition



The FINAL VOTE is now down to you!

- Group 1: Hand Designs
- Group 2: Graphic Writing Designs
- Group 3: Animal Designs
- Group 4: Quadrant Designs

Conduct a 'Form Vote'. Your form teacher will select one winner. The group which wins the most form votes across the school will be the winners. The winning designers will work with our Graphic Designer to develop their idea into your house shield.

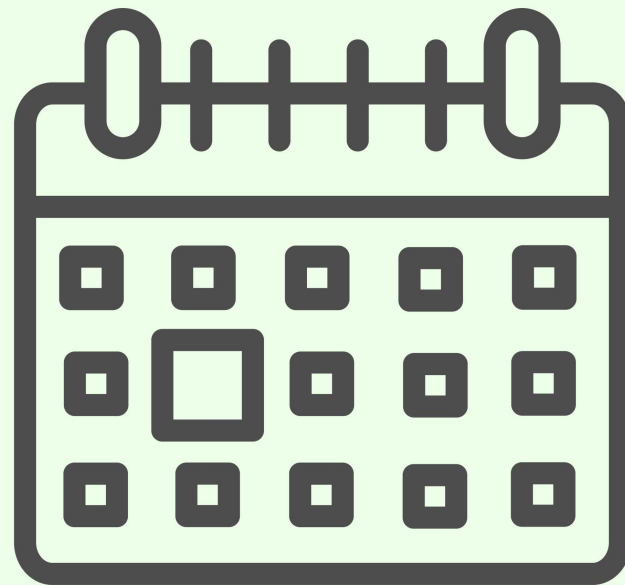




More House Competitions



Look out for our HOUSE
COMPETITION calendar
coming soon, where you
will be able to win points
for your house!



Attend to Achieve 98% Excellent Attendance



Keeping-Up Card

Get Back on Track, New system to help you keep up is being launched after half term.

- Even 1 day of absence can mean missing key learning.
- Gaps can make lessons harder to follow and exams tougher.
- This system helps you stay on track and succeed.



Days off school add up to lost learning

175 NON SCHOOL DAYS A YEAR 175 days to spend on family time, visits, holidays, shopping, household jobs and other appointments					
190 SCHOOL DAYS IN EACH YEAR 190 days for your child's education	10 days absence 180 Days of Education	19 days absence 171 Days of Education	29 days absence A term missed 161 Days of Education	38 days absence 152 Days of Education	47 days absence 143 Days of Education
100%	95%	90%	85%	80%	75%
Good Best chance of success. Gets your child off to a flying start		Worrying Less chance of success. Makes it harder to make progress		Serious Concern Not fair on your child. Court action!	

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98% Excellent Attendance

Getting your card signed-off



- Complete the work within 10 school days. Show your completed work to your teacher.
- The teacher signs your card only when the work is fully done.
- Return the card to your form tutor once everything is signed.

If you fail to complete your keeping up work in the 10 days you will be provided time after school to do this.



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KEEPING UP CARD FOR STUDENTS

Student's Name: _____			
Form Group: _____	Number of days missed: _____		
Date of return to school: _____	Return card by (date): _____		

Instructions for Student:

- Complete this card within 10 school days of returning to school.
- Speak to your teachers or use class peer support to understand what you've missed.
- Show the completed work to your teacher and ask for a signature once done.
- Return this card to your Form Tutor by the date listed above.

Completion Outcomes:

Outcome	Action	Signature / Date
All Keeping Up work completed (✓).	Form Tutor to confirm completion.	Form Tutor signature: _____
Keeping Up work partially completed.	• 30 minute SOR set to complete Keep Up. • Parent/carer informed.	Date: _____
No Keeping Up work completed.	• 1 hour SOR set to complete outstanding work. • Parent/carer informed.	Date: _____

Lessons Missed & Work to Keep Up On:

Subject	Learning Missed	Completed ✓	Teacher's Signature

SIGNING OFF!



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Stuck?

- Ask your teacher, classmates or SEMH/pastoral team.
- Speak to your form tutor/teacher if you can't find the work you have missed.



Rewards

- Earn ClassCharts points when you complete your keeping-up work.
- Your effort will get recognised and celebrated.
- Your biggest reward is knowledge and attainment





Behaviour and Attitudes

Our celebration assemblies take place this week to spotlight personal achievements and examples of where students are meeting and in cases exceeding our expectations.

Year teams will also be recognising students who consistently demonstrate our four core values.

Well done to everyone in advance who will receive a special mention and one of our TKS certificates.



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Kingsway Active



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Monday 20th October

Ks3 Flag Football (Broadway Field) - Mr G Wilson/ Mrs R Moss

Tuesday 21st October

Year 7 and 8 Rugby training (Broadway) - Mr H Duffy

Year 10 and 11 Football training (Foxland) - Mr J Howarth

All years Netball practice (Foxland) - Miss Newbold / Mrs Tavner

Wednesday 22nd October

All years Girls Badminton (Broadway Sports hall) - Mrs S Tavner

Year 11 GCSE Period 6 (F29)- Miss Newbold

FIXTURE: U13s Girls Football vs MHHS @ Kingsway (Broadway) - Miss Jessop

FIXTURE: Year 8 Rugby comp @ Kingsway (Broadway) - Mr H Duffy

Thursday 23rd October

Year 7 Football Practice (Broadway Field) - Mr J Howarth

Year 9 and 10 Rugby training (Broadway) - Mr H Duffy

Friday 24th October

All years Cross Country (Broadway) - Mr H Duffy

Badminton club (Broadway) - Mrs F Taylor

If you are selected to play for a team and can no longer attend you must let your PE teacher know ASAP.

Clubs will take place from 3- 4.15 (approx)

Kingsway Active

Well done to Team Kingsway this week!

An amazing performance from the year 10 Rugby team this week saw them beat a good Poynton team 52-29! A hat trick of tries from Jake C and a big performance from Andrew saw Team Kingsway come out on top! Next game is vs Laurus on Wednesday 12th November.

Another great performance from the Year 10 Netball team for coming 2nd in the Stockport Netball Competition this week! The girls attitude and effort was brilliant throughout and were unlucky to lose out in the final to a very strong Bramhall team! Well done girls!!

This week we continue with the Stockport Rugby Comps with Kingsway hosting 8 Stockport Schools for the Year 8 Rugby comp on Wednesday! As well as more Girls Football fixtures!

Have a great week.

Mr Duffy

Fixtures

DATE	YEAR/TEAM	OPPONENT	VENUE
Wednesday 22nd Oct	Year 8 Rugby	Comp	KWY
Wednesday 22nd Oct	U13 Girls Football	Marple Hall	KWY
Thursday 23rd Oct	U15 Girls Football	Marple Hall	Marple Hall
Tuesday 4th November GCSE PE – ATHLETICS ASSESSMENT (Longford Park)			
Wednesday 5th November	Year 7 Rugby	Comp	Laurus
Thursday 6th Nov	Ks4 Badminton	Comp	KWY

Click the link to see the Fixtures Calendar: [**Kingsway Active**](#)

KS4 Badminton

The Stockport Boys Badminton Championship is on
Thursday 6th November at Kingsway.

We currently have one team. We may have the chance to enter two teams.

Please let me know if you would like to play.

Comp should be finished by 5.15.

Please let Mr Duffy know ASAP if you cannot play.

1. Lewis W (Yr 11)
2. Joe A (Yr 11)
3. Jayden P (Yr 10)
4. –

If you are not on the list and would like to play, please let me know ASAP.

Results



PE Department
@KingswayPE

Well done to the year 10 Rugby team who beat Poynton 52-29 this week! It was great to see some new faces taking part in their first ever game. A special mention to Sonny and Ollie for their control in attack and some excellent running from Tom C and Jake C! POTM: Jake C 🏈🏈🏈



PE Department
@KingswayPE

Well done to our year 10 netball team who came 2nd at the SSSSA year 10 netball tournament last night 🎉🏆🥈
Amazing performances by all 🙌🌟



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School Fields

The School fields are used for PE lessons and to host school fixtures. Please put your litter (bottles) in the bins provided. Football goals are NOT to be moved or swung on (including the nets)

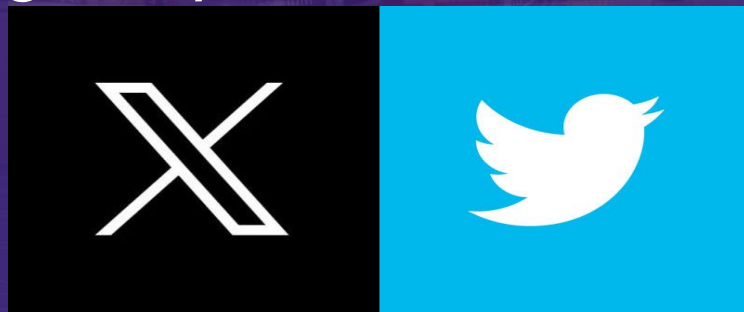




FOLLOW US!

Keep up to date with Team Kingsway's Fixtures and Results by following us on 'X'

X (Twitter) @KingswayPE



Or by clicking on the link to see the Fixtures Calendar:
Kingsway Active



Opportunity - JLT Meetings



The first JLT Meetings involving form captains and senior students take place this week during form time. Once you are registered please arrive promptly to the following locations:

	Year 10 - Canteen THURSDAY	Year 11 - Canteen WEDNESDAY
AGENDA	What's working well in terms of learning and support?	What could the school do to help Year 11 feel supported through mocks and exams?
	How can the school help you manage workload and wellbeing?	How do you want to leave your mark on Kingsway?
	How would you like to support younger students or lead initiatives?	What messages or traditions should Year 11 start for future students?
	OPERATION SHOEBOX - CHRISTMAS HOUSE COMPETITION	

It's the most wonderful time of the year
again!



Manchester Street Angels

**MANCHESTER XMAS
SHOEBOX APPEAL**

DEADLINE: 26TH NOV

MAIN HUB: ACCESS STORAGE, M22 4RW

The poster features a festive red background with gold snowflakes and stars. On the left is a decorated Christmas tree with gold and green ornaments. On the right, Santa Claus is peeking out from behind a stack of wrapped gifts. The text is centered in white and black, providing details about the shoebox appeal.

Opportunity - Manchester XMAS Shoebox Appeal



As the festive season approaches, we are presented with a wonderful opportunity to spread kindness and joy through the Christmas Shoebox Appeal. This appeal is a chance for each of us to make a real difference in the lives of the community who may not otherwise experience the magic of the holiday season.

Each form will have been given the challenge of filling a shoebox with the designated items for a certain group of people within the community (please do not mix the items - imagine being a small child and receiving some dog food!) Once your shoebox is full you can decorate it.



**Manchester
Shoebox Appeal**

Children 0-16 yrs

Below are a few suggestions which you could include:

<u>Babies/Toddlers (0-3 years)</u>	<u>Infants (4-8 years)</u>
Mittens / Soft Toys	Colouring Books / Crayons, Pencils
Toiletries / Books	Hat & Gloves / Age Appropriate Toys
<u>Juniors (9-12 years)</u>	<u>Teenagers (13-16 years)</u>
Stationery Sets / Sweets	Toiletry Packs / Make-up
Toiletries / Gift Sets	Wipes / Socks / Chocolate

and anything else you can think of ... but please

NO ALCOHOL OR MONEY

Please remember to include a Christmas card in your box.

HOUSE
POINTS FOR:

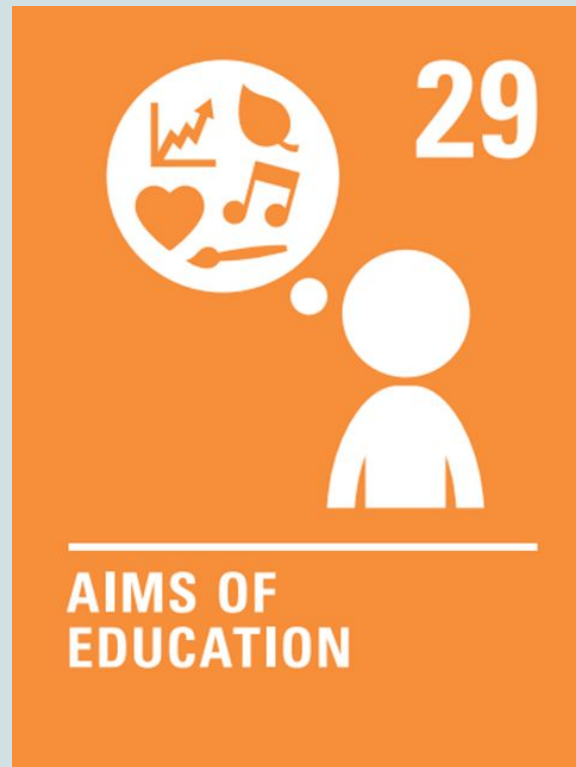
1. Most Shoeboxes
2. Best Decorated Shoebox
3. Messages of Kindness

Respect: UNCRC Article of the week



This was the first article we looked at during the first week of September. We discussed how education can support your right to develop your personality, talents and abilities.

Task: Discuss how you have developed in your learning, personally and socially this half-term.





Year Team Stars of the Week

Year 10



	Student	Reason
	Zainab K	Highest number of positives last week (46!)
	Tevin D Emily M	Highest number of teacher's star of the lesson awards (4!)
	Edith L	Active learning in science and maths



Year Team Stars of the Week

Year 11



	Student	Reason
	Tess C	Highest achievement points for outstanding lesson/learning ! Legend!
	Aaron L	Highest achievement points for respectful behaviour! Legend!
	Uthman Z	Highest achievement points for significant improvement! Legend!

The Kingsway School Foxland Parent Messages



Big Wins: Celebrating Our Students



SPOTLIGHTED CURRICULUM BIG WINS:



- ★ 10G_A Geography for **rich discussions** around factors influencing the response to tectonic hazards
- ★ 10HCB Health and Social for **deep thinking** in their coursework compositions
- ★ 11ATU English for displaying **high aspirations** in their upcoming Macbeth assessment

 CELEBRATES DIFFERENCE	 FOUNDATIONAL KNOWLEDGE	 COMPASSION	 COMMUNITY
 RICH DISCUSSION	 DEEP THINKING	 FUTURE CAREERS	 SAFEGUARDING
 CONNECTIONS	 ASPIRATION	 ACADEMIC TEXTS	 BIG ISSUES



Big Wins: Celebrating Our Students



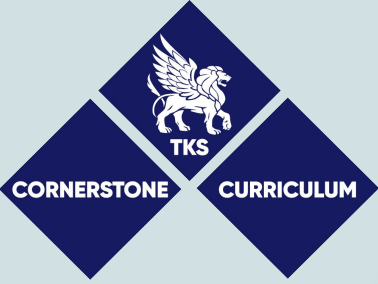
Our Celebration Assemblies take place this week in your child's usual assembly slot. Individual and collective achievements/special mentions will be announced. All students recognised will receive an official TKS certificate.

Categories for recognition include our four core values.

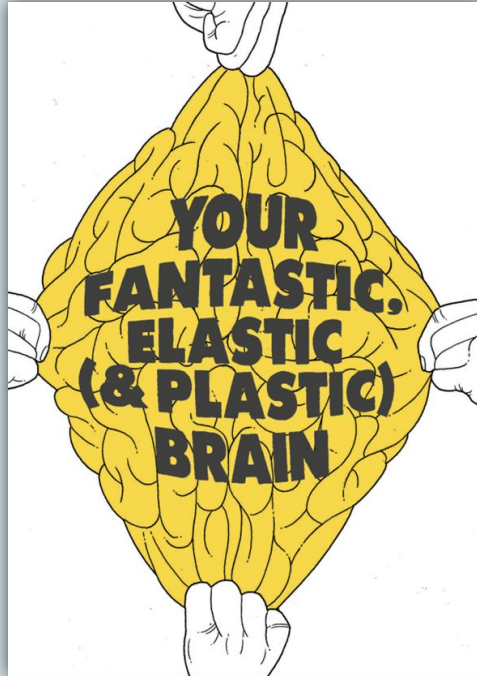
If your child has achieved personal success in areas outside of school which you would like to share with us, please contact their pastoral team.



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Cornerstone Curriculum: Preview



We can shape up our brain just like we can shape up our body. Think of it as a mental muscle. If we put the brain through a fitness programme that helps to build neural pathways, we can mould it into something truly incredible. And the more we push ourselves, the more connections we make and the stronger they become. Scientists have a name for this. Wait for it... it's called...

NEURO-PLASTICITY



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The Kingsway School's Parent Teacher Association ask for donations from parents to raise funds to support the school curriculum and enhance the opportunities for all of the students.

Payments

2024/25 Kingsway Association Donation

For: [Redacted]

School: The Kingsway School

Amount: £ 5.00 minimum

Additional info: The Kingsway Association (PTA) raises funds to support our children whilst at Kingsway and aims to provide the extra resources or opportunities to help enrich our children's experiences at school. We ask parents to kindly make a donation of any amount throughout the year to support our work. Thank you

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Once a term, the TKA meet with members of the school leadership team to review bids and agree how funds are spent.

Everyone is welcome to get involved, to find out more come along to our next meeting at 6pm on Monday 20th October 2025 on Broadway campus.